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school for the Cluj region was conducted at the military installation known as Cazarma "Oila". Col. Constantinescu (Medical), Chief of the Health and Sanitary Service, Second Military Region (Cluj), was Commandant of the School of Military Medicine. The course or plan of training was prepared at the Ministry of the Armed Forces, Medical Department. The lectures and instructions were prepared by specialists in various fields. Lectures dealt with problems involving disease, sickness, and wounds in the Armed Forces and the countermeasures to be employed.

2. Classes were conducted both morning and afternoon. The first month was devoted, for the most part, to basic military training. The second and third months were periods of intensified training in military medicine and application. The course of instruction was less intensified during the fourth and final month of training. At the completion of the training, short periods of leave were taken, i.e., four to five days, after which the students returned to receive their military assignment in sealed envelopes on which only their destination was indicated.

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3. The approximate number of hours devoted to specific courses was as follows:

General Hygiene (Igienea Generala) - 40 hours

This course included food consumption, calories, field sanitation, personal cleanliness, physical stamina of the soldier, and exposure prevention. The course was given by a captain and lieutenant colonel from the Military Hospital, Cluj.

Contagious Diseases in the Military (Epidemiologia Militara) - 40 hours

This course included the following subjects: Epidemics of World War II, typhoid and paratyphoid fever, typhus, dysentery, cholera, malaria, influenza, and prevention methods.

Military Surgery (Chirurgia de Razboiu) - 60 hours

This course included classification of the wounded, types of wounds, emergency treatment, etc.

War Gases (Gaze de Lupta) - 30 hours

This course included classification of gases used in past wars, treatments, and evacuation procedures. The course was very weak and was given by a lieutenant colonel, an ear, nose, and throat specialist.

The Organization and Function of the Medical in the Company (Organizarea si Functiunea Serviciului Sanitar in Companie) - 50 hours

This course included methods of organizing and conducting medical service to various sized units, evacuation, etc. It was conducted by Col. (fnu) POPESCU.

Medical Material in Time of Peace and Allowance or Allotments for Wartime (Materialul Sanitar pe Timp de Pace si Dotarea Pentru Razboiu) - 40 hours

This course dealt with the types, amounts, transportation of medical equipment and materials and the maintaining and reordering of such supplies according to types of units and operations.

Tactics of the Rear or Movement or Organization of Rear Area Forces (Tactica Spatelui) - 60 hours

It included the organization of rear forces for the division, regiment, battalion, both in offensive and defensive action and evacuation of the wounded. Much of this course was taken up with map reading and plotting of evacuation routes, locations for aid stations, etc. from theoretic battle lines. The instructors mentioned that the course was classified since it included Soviet field tactics.

Tactics of Various Arms (Tactica Diferitelor Arme) - 30 hours

Political Education (Educatia Politica) - 60-80 hours

This course consisted of lectures on Communism, its history, capitalism, etc.

Miscellaneous: Administrative, etc. - 5-10 hours

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